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For:

Compact Capacitor Structure

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Having High Unit Capacitance

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2004, applicant hereby elects, Group I, Claims 1-13 and 19-25, which is drawn to a capacitor device.

Applicant's election is made with traverse on the grounds that the embodiments delineated by the examiner are not patentably distinct and therefore constitute a single invention concept.

An early action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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